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I read this yesterday.....

wired news (wired.com) -- Microsoft confirmed Tuesday it has reached a settlement in most of the private antitrust lawsuits filed against the software giant.

Under the proposed settlement, the company will provide more than \$1 billion to over 12,500 of the nation's poorest schools over five years.

The money will pay for teacher training, technical support, refurbished computers and virtually unlimited amounts of Microsoft's most popular software, such as Windows and Office, company spokesman Matt Pilla said.

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I think the money should allow the schools to buy whatever systems and software they want. They make their own decisions!!!!

they give away more "winodws" and "office" software for free... that expand their market share even more??????

a lot of schools use macintosh, I think at least 50% of the education market use Apple Computers. this deal no doubt hurt Microsoft's competitor - Apple Computers.

I am against this settlement. and ask for a better settlement deal!

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